

CITY OF LOS BANOS
TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE MEETING MINUTES
April 1, 2014

*ACTION MINUTES – These minutes are prepared to depict action taken
for agenda items presented to the Traffic Safety Committee.*

CALL TO ORDER: Police Chief Brizzee called the Traffic Safety Committee Meeting to order at the hour of 2:00 p.m.

ROLL CALL – MEMBERS OF THE TRAFFIC SAFETY COMMITTEE PRESENT: Mark Fachin, Public Works Director/City Engineer (Public Works Department); Gary Brizzee (Police Department); Tom Mello (Planning Commission Representative); **Absent:** Stacy Elms, Assistant Planner II (Community Development Department); Chet Guintini, Fire Chief (Fire Department).

STAFF MEMBERS PRESENT: Assistant City Clerk/Human Resources Technician Sousa.

APPROVAL OF AGENDA: Motion by Mello, seconded by Fachin to approve the agenda as submitted. The motion carried by the affirmative action of all committee members present; **absent:** Elms, Guintini.

APPROVAL OF MINUTES: Motion by Fachin, seconded by Mello to approve the January 7, 2014 Traffic Safety Committee Meeting Minutes as submitted. The motion carried by the affirmative action of all committee members present; **absent:** Elms, Guintini.

PUBLIC FORUM: MEMBERS OF THE PUBLIC MAY ADDRESS THE COMMITTEE ON ANY ITEM OF PUBLIC INTEREST THAT IS WITHIN THE JURISDICTION OF THE CITY; INCLUDES AGENDA AND NON-AGENDA ITEMS. NO ACTION WILL BE TAKEN ON NON-AGENDA ITEMS. SPEAKERS ARE LIMITED TO A FIVE (5) MINUTE PRESENTATION. Police Chief Brizzee opened the public forum. No one came forward to speak and the public forum was closed.

CONSIDERATION OF A REQUEST FOR PARKING STALL MODIFICATIONS AT THE INTERSECTION OF I STREET AND 6TH STREET (DBSI INCORPORATED ON BEHALF OF RABOBANK). Police Chief Brizzee stated this request came from Daniel Novac of DBSI Inc. for the City to limit access to the current public parking stalls so that Rabobank could compete with Bank of America which has an existing parking lot for its customers. There was committee member discussion regarding the City's practice of not limiting public parking unless there is a safety concern.

Motion by Fachin, seconded by Mello to deny the request. The motion carried by the affirmative action of all committee members present; **absent:** Elms, Guintini.

COMMITTEE MEMBER COMMENTS. Committee Member Mello spoke about a recent article in the local newspaper regarding revamping the overpass on Pacheco Boulevard at the intersection of 7th Street, how he feels it's a waste of money and a bad judgment.

ADJOURNMENT. The meeting was adjourned at the hour of 2:07 p.m.

APPROVED:

/s / Gary Brizzee
Gary Brizzee, Chairman

ATTEST:

/s / Jana R. Sousa
Jana R. Sousa, Assistant City Clerk